

# THE LACLEDE BLADE.

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## TOWN AND COUNTRY

### About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

Collie pups for sale. E. J. Clawson.

Milk for sale, delivered. Leo. Cunningham, phone 125.

Duck eggs for hatching, \$1.00 per setting. F. B. Day.

For Sale—Fresh young cow; good milker. E. E. Gould.

Galvanized chicken coops, \$1.60 each. The Home Store.

Klondyke incubator, 180 size, for sale cheap. Mrs. G. W. Syms.

The Farmers Exchange unloaded a car of Kaw river sand Tuesday.

Milk for sale, evening delivery, Willowdale Farm, A. C. Lester, manager.

Mamma's pancake flour 10c the package while it lasts. The Home Store.

O. A. Potter was on the St. Joseph market Monday with a car of fat lambs.

A used Sharples cream separator for sale. See it at the Farmers Exchange.

Wanted—Mowing machine, gang plow, and some brood sows. Call phone 504. Ralph Eichman.

Any one needing cane, kaffir, cowpeas or soybeans for planting should call at The Laclede Farmers Exchange.

Galvanized tub and pail sale at prices the lowest in the past eight year. See them in our south window. The Home Store.

Beautify your home by keeping your lawn mowed. We have just received our lawn mowers and offer them at reduced prices. The Home Store.

A. G. Groes is again in charge of his garage, Cunningham Brothers who have been conducting it the past five months having surrendered their lease.

Owing to the fact that I am closing my business here, I am compelled to ask those who have accounts with me to call and settle at once. F. R. Power.

J. A. Henry was here from Brookfield Saturday and rented the Welsh farm just southwest of town for this year to get possession at once.

Wm. M. Lomax has renewed his subscription for another year and also paid for the paper to be mailed to his daughter, Mrs. Blanche Wilkins, Walnut, Kan., a year.

The coal strike is on. Buy a Perfection oil stove and save your coal. You may need it next winter. Prices greatly reduced from last season's prices. The Home Store.

Feed Chamberlain's Perfect chick feed to your baby chicks and save them. This feed is not an experiment but has been on the market for many years and has proved its worth to those who have used it. The Home Store.

The Felt-Shipping association radio receiving set is now installed in the director's room of the Benson Banking Company. In installing an important part of the instrument was broken but a new part is expected any hour and as soon as received the set will be put in operation.

### P. E. O. Official Entertained

The members of the P. E. O. entertained Mrs. C. I. Commack of Kansas City, organizer of the Missouri Grand Chapter, during her official visit to Chapter R, at the home of Mrs. Ella B. Standly, on Thursday evening of last week. Twenty-one years ago that day the local chapter was organized and at the six o'clock dinner served, two of the charter members, Mrs. Abbie Gould and Mrs. Idah Moore, were among those at the tables. The decorations were carried out in yellow and white, spring flowers being used artistically throughout the rooms and on the tables.

Much that was helpful and beneficial was gained from Mrs. Commack's visit of inspection and her report was full of praise and commendation for the many educational activities carried on by the chapter. There was especial commendation for the recent gift of one dollar from each member to the national education fund of the P. E. O.

It is the aim of the Sisterhood to double the amount of this fund within the next two years as the applicants are so many and so worthy.

At present there are sixty-seven girls whose applications have been approved and to whom the Educational Board hope to furnish funds by September 1. It is for the education of these girls the recent gift from Chapter R will apply.

More than \$110,000.00 is invested in the most wonderful building material ever used—the bright young womanhood of America.

### Star Drives Trucks

The hare and tortoise of the automobile world—the racing car and the truck—figure prominently in "What's Your Hurry?" Wallace Reid's latest picture, which will be shown at the Laclede theatre Saturday night.

The star has the role of a racing driver in love with the daughter of a motor truck manufacturer. The latter does not approve of Wallie as a prospective son-in-law. To get into the old man's good graces, Wallie deserts racing to act as publicity man for trucks. But he only succeeds in getting "in bad" and it is not until he risks his life to bring a cordon of trucks to plug the breach in a bursting dam that he is able to win the girl of his choice.

### Easter Dinner

Where? Rest Room.

When? Saturday, April 15.

Who by? Circle No 3 of Baptist church.

Served Cafeteria.

Come and eat.

### For Sale

For sale, single comb White Leghorn eggs for hatching. My hens are from the Drumm stock of English White Leghorns, and my roosters are from J. R. Moonney, who imports direct from Tom Barren of England. Extra good winter layers. Price \$3.50 per 100.—Mrs. Henry Culbertson, Laclede, or phone 17f12, Brookfield.

### For Sale

My home in South Laclede. For particulars call at residence or address Harry Landree, 923 Edmonds Street, St. Joseph, Mo.

## ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

### Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

Men's genius for invention has been applied to problems domestic, and of the hundred and one labor saving appliances the Royal Electric Cleaner has contributed most to woman's comfort and leisure. Don't let house-cleaning catch you this spring without a Royal. Phone Caywood & Baum for a demonstration and plans on which you can own a Royal with a small initial payment.

Stanley Whitaker, a graduate of the Laclede high school, who has been taking journalism in the state university, being a member of the senior class this year and acting as circulation manager of the Daily Missourian, left Columbia this week for Macon, Ga., where he has a position on the Macon News. The Blade, along with Stanley's many other friends here, is glad to learn that he is making good in his chosen profession.

There were 76 votes cast in the school election Tuesday. Lee E. Hamilton and R. T. Patterson were elected members of the board without opposition. Only three votes were cast against the levy of 80 cents for school purposes. These were probably cast by mistake as it doesn't seem possible that any person with any degree of intelligence would knowingly vote for a nine months term of school and at the same time vote against the levy to provide funds to run the school on.

Laclede will lose its pioneer in the automobile and garage business when F. R. Power goes to Brookfield to take charge of an oil station. Mr. Power was in the livery business for a number of years and when the autos came he followed up and opened the first garage of the town and has continued in the business up to the present time. Frank will be missed from the business of the town where he has been active so many years. The family will remain here until the close of school.

The local Rebekah lodge had a class initiation at their hall Monday evening, the degree team of Bucklin having charge of the work. There was a large attendance and refreshments were served during the evening. Those from Bucklin were Mrs. May Hughes, past president of the state assembly and captain of the team, and Miss Emma Dent, Mrs. Lula Herriman, Miss Emma Stunkel, Mrs. Beryl Cantwell, Miss Nan Engberg, Miss Dixie Toole, Miss Opal Ray, Mrs. Wilma Tuttle, Mrs. Della Lindley, Miss Elizabeth Marcussen, Mrs. Nellie Wright, Mrs. Etta, Lawson, Mrs. Ruby Kathan, Mrs. Mabel Roseberry, and Geo. Finney. The candidates were Mrs. Pearl Power, Miss Dora Goins, Miss Mattie Brewer and E. E. Cowan.

Hard laid wool twine, the kind approved by all wool buyers; 22c the pound. The Home Store.

### Meeting of City Council

Regular monthly meeting of the city council was held Monday evening with all members present. Regular bills and salaries allowed and ordered paid.

Alma Cotton appeared before the board and complained that Moss Stevens had a hog pen in the alley in block 15 to the detriment of Cotton's property abutting the alley. The hog pen was ordered moved and the alley opened and Mr. Cotton also given permission to cut a tree standing in the alley.

The gap of forty or fifty feet in the cement walk along the south side of the Murphy property on Prairie street was ordered closed with a regulation cement walk.

An audit of the account of Manager Tracy disclosed that the picture show lacked \$8.70 of paying expenses during March.

At an adjourned meeting of the council Tuesday night the election returns were canvassed. There were 39 votes cast in the east ward and 26 in the west.

G. O. Plowman was reelected mayor, John T. Cushing police judge, S. W. White marshal, W. R. Barton alderman west ward and Wm. Kraft alderman east ward, all without opposition.

The new board organized by electing W. R. Barton, president. Mayor Plowman reappointed A. J. Caywood city clerk and C. A. Felt, treasurer. Both appointments were confirmed.

The city finances are in good condition, Treasurer Felt reported \$1092.15 in the sinking fund, \$874.79 in the general fund and \$196.98 in the cemetery fund.

Dr. F. W. Burke was before the board and arrangements were made to straighten the line between Dr. Burke's property and the new cemetery ground.

### Mayor White Reelected

In the hottest city election ever held in Brookfield, Mayor White was reelected over A. W. Baker, by 62 votes, last Tuesday. The opponents of Mayor White charged him during the campaign with running a wide-open town in which gambling and houses of ill repute flourished, and his administration was charged with extravagance while owing an unpaid electric light bill of over \$4,000.00.

There were eight candidates for marshal. L. T. Cook was elected by a plurality of 269.

J. W. Moore was elected treasurer over Herman Craig by 679, while in a four cornered fight Geo. N. Blossom was elected collector by 526.

### Start Them Right

It cost you something to feed your chicks. It will cost you but little more to feed them a perfect starting feed.

You will more than gain the difference in the cost by the extra number of chicks you will save and by the difference in the way they thrive.

Quisenberry Starter Food is a perfect feed for starting chicks. For sale in all sizes by Laclede Farmers Exchange.

### For Sale

Two horse power gasoline engine and pump jack. J. B. Chapman.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

### Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

Mrs. L. W. Lomax spent the first of the week with her mother in Brookfield.

Attorney C. C. Bigger was attending circuit court at Chillicothe Monday.

Miss Belle Welsh returned Saturday from spending the winter in California.

The Reading Circle meets next Tuesday evening, April 11, with Mrs. C. B. Talbott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kerr went to Olathe, Kansas, Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ellis Moore and Byron Harbough of Memphis visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. T. G. Line returned Monday from visiting over Sunday with her sister at Unionville.

Mrs. I. B. Thompson of Centerville was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Bigger, Sunday and Monday.

H. W. Lomax and John Hetrick represented Laclede before the board of equalization at Linneus, Tuesday.

The residences of Mrs. Wm. Watson and Mrs. C. E. Hudnell have been taken onto the electric light service this week.

Mrs. Bessie Pease, Mrs. Jeannet Baskins and Mrs. G. W. Barr, the latter of Brookfield, were in Chillicothe Wednesday.

Mrs. T. L. Humphres and daughter, Claire, and Mrs. Guy Fay were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Read in Chillicothe.

Mrs. C. C. Bigger is attending a district meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Chillicothe yesterday and today.

Mrs. Mabel Rosberry of Bucklin who was here to attend the Rebekah class initiation was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bigger Monday night.

Miss Mary Andrews has returned from Long Beach, Calif., to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Andrews south of Laclede.

J. D. Clarkson of Omaha, Nebr., on his way east on a business trip, spent Sunday here with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Mrs. C. I. Commack, of Kansas City, state inspector for the P. O. E. sisterhood, was the guest of Mrs. C. B. Talbott while here on a visit to the local chapter last Thursday.

Miss Emma Lee Johnson who went from here to Altus, Okla., a few months ago is now located at Santa Ana, Calif., and writes to have the address of her Blade changed to 1316 Bush street, Santa Ana.

The many Laclede friends of Miss Bertha Brockman, formerly of this place, who has been ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Brockman, near Chillicothe since December, will be glad to hear she is convalescing.

### Don't Forget the Date

There's lots of fun for both old and young. Ye' old time spellin' match and pie supper. Where? Boomer School House. Zoe Stutsman, teacher.